

**UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
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**REQUEST FOR PATENT FEE REFUND**

1 Date of Request: 3/13/06 2 Serial/Patent # 6,198,794

3 Please refund the following fee(s):		4 PAPER NUMBER	5 DATE FILED	6 AMOUNT
<input type="checkbox"/>	Filing			\$
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other <u>Surcharge</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>2/6/06</u>	\$ <u>1640</u>

7 TOTAL AMOUNT OF REFUND \$ 1640

10 REASON:

☐ Overpayment

☐ Duplicate Payment

☒ No Fee Due (Explanation):

1.28

8 TO BE REFUNDED BY:

☒ Treasury Check

☐ Credit Deposit A/C #:

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11 REFUND REQUESTED BY:

TYPED/PRINTED NAME: C. Thant

TITLE: att

SIGNATURE: C. Thant

PHONE: X-3215

OFFICE: OP

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APPROVED: [Signature]

DATE: 3/13/06

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1. SMALL ENTITY

☐ Patentee claims, or has previously claimed, small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

2. LOSS OF ENTITLEMENT TO SMALL ENTITY STATUS

☒ Patentee is no longer entitled to small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27(g).

3. MAINTENANCE FEE (37 CFR 1.20(e)-(g))

The appropriate maintenance fee must be submitted with this petition, unless it was paid earlier.

NOT Small Entity			Small Entity		
Amount	Fee	(Code)	Amount	Fee	(Code)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$ 900.00	3 1/2 yr fee	(1551)	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	3 1/2 yr fee	(2551)
<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	7 1/2 yr fee	(1552)	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	7 1/2 yr fee	(2552)
<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	11 1/2 yr fee	(1553)	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	11 1/2 yr fee	(2553)

MAINTENANCE FEE BEING SUBMITTED \$ 450.00 (total deficiency)

**\*\* Please see attached sheet for itemization  
of the total deficiency owed as required by  
37 CFR 1.28(c), (d).**

4. SURCHARGE

The surcharge required by 37 CFR 1.20(i)(2) of \$ 1,640.00 (Fee Code 1558) must be paid as a condition of accepting unintentionally delayed payment of the maintenance fee.

SURCHARGE BEING SUBMITTED \$ 1,640.00

5. MANNER OF PAYMENT

☒ Enclosed is a check for the sum of \$ \$2,090.00.

☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_ the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_. A duplicate copy of this authorization is attached.

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

6. AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE ANY FEE DEFICIENCY

☐ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any maintenance fee, surcharge or petition deficiency to Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_. A duplicate copy of this authorization is attached.

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## 7. OVERPAYMENT

As to any overpayment made please

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Credit to Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_

OR

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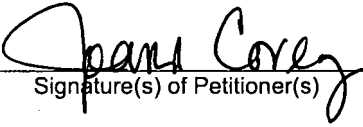
Send refund check.

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## 8. STATEMENT

The delay in payment of the maintenance fee to this patent was unintentional.

9. PETITIONER(S) REQUEST THAT THE DELAYED PAYMENT OF THE MAINTENANCE FEE BE  
ACCEPTED AND THE PATENT REINSTATED.  
Signature(s) of Petitioner(s)2/1/06  
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37 CFR 1.378(d) states: "Any petition under this section must be signed by an attorney or agent registered to practice before the Patent and Trademark Office, or by the patentee, the assignee, or other party in interest."

## ENCLOSURES:

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Maintenance Fee payment

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Surcharge under 37 CFR 1.20(i)(2) (fee for filing the maintenance fee petition)

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Itemization of total deficiency owed as required by 37 CFR 1.28(c),(d)